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KENNEDY'S CREEK COLLINS.

Things in That Romantic Region of Mason County's Picturesque Domain.

Robert Colburn is adding a new kitchen to his dwelling.

Born, April 15th, to the wife of Noble Swice, a daughter.

Robert Colburn was a Sunday visitor at South Manchester.

Born, April 15th, to the wife of Joseph Sherman, a daughter.

Miss Martha Drake of Springdale is a guest of Fannie R. Edgington.

William Kirk's sawmill and the Maysville Brick Co. raised steam last week.

John Williams spent the last of the week with his brother Samuel of South Manchester.

William Sphar of New Richmond was circulating among old friends here Wednesday.

Frank Bradford of East Maysville will move in the near future to the tenant house on the farm of F. M. Edgington.

Lum Cooper with his workmen made some repairs on the bridge across Kennedy's Creek Friday on the M. and L. road.

Robert and Harrison Dryden have quit wagoning and make their special trips in foot, extending their boundary as far as the Fleming county line.

Remored that Gus Tolle of the Stone-lick neighborhood will make the race for Constable, with Bruce Lyons and Thomas Gooch as his deputies, provided he is elected.

Andrew Clark has been entertaining a little stranger at his house since Friday. The little Miss has come to stay as a permanent boarder. The boys say that Andy is able to navigate.

The race is on and our Democratic Brethren, having only a limited time, are getting in their work very well. An office is not worth seeking after if not attended with some excitement. Go it, boys, while you are able.

The Easter service at the Chapel on the Creek Sunday night was both instructive and entertaining, and drew a large crowd. Thanks to the East Maysville fellows who brought along their horns and helped in the good cause. Come again, boys.

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MOUNT OLIVET MENU.

Current Happenings In and Around the Pleasant Capital of Robertson.

Colonel Bill Kirk is very sick with an attack of fever.

H. E. Rose, a dental surgeon of Cynthia, will locate here this week.

Dr. Sale, the Lexington dentist, is at the Louisiana Hotel this week.

H. S. Young of The Brookville Review was among his Robertson friends Tuesday.

Farmers are way behind with their spring work, owing to the continuous heavy rains.

The wheat crop promises to be the largest and best raised in the county in twenty years past.

The heaviest windstorm that has visited this section in several years passed over Mt. Olivet Thursday.

About a dozen gentlemen and ladies left Tuesday morning for Lewis county, to spend a week fishing.

George F. Brown and J. L. Nicholson, two Jolly good boys, were here last week, advertising the "Jolly Drummers."

Mrs. J. S. Linville died quite suddenly at her home near Abigail Monday evening. She leaves two small children.

The temperance drama, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," was rendered by a local dramatic club at Pinhook Friday night.

John J. Hall has prized and shipped about 75,000 pounds of tobacco for our farmers, for which fair prices were realized.

A new stageline will be established in a few weeks between Mt. Olivet and Brookville. Parties at Brookville are at the head of the enterprise.

Captain William A. McGinety and Q. D. Wilcox of Falmouth were in town the past week. Captain McGinety was an army comrade of Officer Stockdale of Maysville.

Everybody wishes Will Denning success in his contest for Representative of Trumbull county, O. He is one of the brightest and best boys that ever left Robertson to cast his lines in other climes.

The friends of Judge Deming—and the number is legion—hope the new Administration will recognize his past services to the party in a befitting way. He is justly entitled to a position, and a good one, too.

Six candidates are already announced for Assessor, and more are spoken of. Judge Kinton will have no opposition for re-election to the County Judgeship. He is one of the most efficient business officials that has ever filled that position.

Tobacco plants are up and growing right along. Our people are acting sensibly in putting forth efforts to raise large crops. Farm products of a marketable character always command fair prices, while it never pays to raise a poor quality of produce at any time.

The K. P. Lodge had three accessions to its membership Tuesday night. A banquet followed at the Louisiana Hotel, which was attended by a large number of the fraternity from Mt. Olivet and the adjoining towns. Nearly two score ladies graced the occasion with their presence.

Revs. Wallace of the M. E. Church, South, and Riffe of the M. E. Church will have full charge of Penn Grove Campmeeting this season, and will spare no pains to make it a great success. It is probable no admission fee will be charged except Sundays, on which days the price will be only a pittance.

General George Washington Bratton of Pinhook died the 13th inst., after a protracted illness, aged 74 years. Burial at Foster Chapel with Masonic services. Funeral preached by Rev. Cyrus Riff.

General Bratton was one of the best known citizens of the county, and was the last of the older class in his neighborhood. For many years he was a leading merchant and tobacco buyer.

Full line of Trimmed Millinery now shown by Mrs. L. V. Davis, Zweigart Block.

Mr. M. E. Strode of the Sixth Ward has announced himself as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election. Mr. Strode is a young man, upright and industrious, and the support of the voters of the city will be most highly appreciated.

The Times is a new and sprightly candidate for public favor at the thriving town of Manchester. Typographically it is neat as a pin, and the earmarks of Tom Foster are visible in the general make-up. THE LEDGER wishes Editor Shriver unbounded success in his enterprise.

Sunday several of Maysville's colored dudes hired a wagonette and were driven to Flemingsburg. While going through that place the driver thought he had to make the time the C. and O.'s F. F. V. does, when the officers "pulled" the whole crowd. After being tried that afternoon, the driver was the only one fined, and he was jolled up \$1 and costs worth, amounting in all to \$5.

**Administrator's Notice!**

All persons having claims against the estate of Reuben H. Hunt, deceased, will please present same at once, properly verified; and persons owing said decedent will please come forward and settle without delay.

JOHN DULLEY, Administrator.

Maysville, Ky., April 13th, 1897. apr 13 1w

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KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

THE LEGISLATURE.

History Tactics Present Final Action Upon Any Important Measure.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 21.—SENATE.—The first thing in the senate Tuesday was the swearing in of the new senator, D. M. Hager, the successor of J. P. Salyer deceased. Senator Elliston presented his credentials and the lieutenant governor administered the oath. Acting under a resolution of the senate, Elliston, Hager and Sims on the special committee to investigate the Eddyville controversy. The special order was the house bill providing for the borrowing of \$500,000 by the state by the issue of bonds. Mr. Jones wanted to postpone a vote on the bill till Friday. Mr. Elliston opposed postponing. He said the legislature was spending \$1,000 a day and doing nothing but postpone bills from day to day. Mr. Salyer supported postponing. Mr. Elliston favored the passage of the bill without amendment. The motion to postpone was defeated—yeas 17, nays 8. A vote on the bill was cut off by the joint session. After the senate returned from the joint session the friends of the bill tried to get a vote on it by refusing to adjourn, but the republicans and gold democrats joined together and prevented a vote.

HOUSE.—Mr. Thorne offered a resolution to appropriate \$100,000 for the flood sufferers in Western Kentucky, but it was withdrawn when a telegram was read from Congressman Charles Wheeler to Gov. Bradley announcing that some of the government's appropriation would be sent to the Kentucky flood sufferers. The bill changing the method of appointing the grain inspector in Louisville was defeated. The hunter people went after the assistant adjutant-general again Tuesday, and the committee reported favorably on a bill to reduce his salary to \$2,500 per year. It also provides for reducing the adjutant-general's salary from \$2,000 to \$1,250 and the assistant adjutant-general's salary from \$800 to \$600. The hunter resolution to deprive legislators of their pension when absent without leave was adopted. Mr. Thorne presented a new bill providing that trust companies shall give bond like individuals when acting in a fiduciary capacity. The anti-mob bill was discussed, but a vote was not reached.

HUSBAND SHOT

While Preparing to Separate From His Wife.

GREENEVILLE, Ky., April 21.—John Royal, Jr., on Big White Oak creek, was shot by his wife's and mortally wounded. Royal and his wife have only been married about three months and have had frequent quarrels. Monday night he was packing his belongings, preparing to leave, when they got into a difficulty, and she seized a revolver and shot him. He was in a stooping position and the ball entered his back, but it has not yet been located. A warrant was issued Monday for the woman, and an officer has gone to arrest her. Mrs. Royal has been married twice previous to her present matrimonial venture.

THE DEADLOCK.

Fifty-Third Ballot Taken in the Kentucky Legislature Without Result.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 21.—Considerable interest was attached to Tuesday's balloting for United States Senator from the fact that the Blackbuck democrats gained two votes by reason of the accession of Senator Ogilvie, who had been sick, and of Senator Hager, recently elected to succeed Senator Salyer, Hager having been sworn in Tuesday morning.

The 53rd ballot resulted: Hunter 53, Blackburn 33, Martin 13, Boyle 5, Stone 1 present and voting, 109; necessary to a choice, 55. No election. Two more ballots were taken without a change, and adjournment followed.

Park Commissioners' Convention.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 21.—The board of park commissioners of the city of Louisville have called a convention of all the park commissioners, park engineers and park architects in the United States to meet in Louisville on May 20 for conference. It is proposed that the delegates to the park convention shall, after adjournment, avail themselves of the opportunity to attend the Tennessee Centennial exposition at Nashville. President John B. Castleman and Vice President B. V. Belknap were appointed a committee to arrange for the invitation and reception of the invited delegates.

Skeleton of a Red Chief.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., April 21.—John Hill, a prominent farmer of this county, while digging a milk house Tuesday, found a skeleton seven feet tall. It is claimed by the older citizens in that locality that the remains were those of an Indian chief, as many Indian trinkets were found in the grave, which was walled with rock.

Chief and Patrolmen Removed.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 21.—The police commissioners reorganized the police force Tuesday night, removing Chief McElroy, Capt. Crane and seven patrolmen, among them the men indicted for interfering at the last election.

Helped to Nominate Lincoln.

RICHMOND, Ky., April 21.—Elisha Harris died at Berea, aged 70. He was a delegate to the national republican convention at Chicago which nominated Abraham Lincoln for president.

White Squadron at New York.

NEW YORK, April 21.—The white squadron arrived in port Tuesday afternoon from Hampton Roads and anchored off Tompkinsville, S. I. The vessels passed in the narrows at 6 p.m., the flagship New York leading, followed by the Maine, Amphitrite, Texas, Raleigh and Columbia. The squadron is to take part in the naval parade next Tuesday when Grant's tomb is dedicated.

A Fatal Snow Slide.

RED CLIFF, Col., April 21.—News received here of a bad snow slide attended with loss of life in Eagle River canon, three miles west of here. Frank Larzaloe and Ernest Kemp are dead and their bodies have been recovered, and it is supposed three more men are buried in the avalanche.

The Levees Guarded.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21.—The Northeastern Railroad fruit sheds are under water. All points along the levee on both sides of the river above New Orleans are being guarded by citizens armed with shot guns, who fear that a mob from New Orleans will resort to the desperate measure of cutting some of the upper levees to save the city.

On May 1st there will be a meeting of Freethinkers at Lexington to celebrate the anniversary of the birthday of May L. Collins.

Taylor Bros. at Washington are still selling 22 pounds standard granulated sugar for \$1, and 8 pounds Arbuckle's Coffee for \$1.

Postmaster General Gary says that the President and his Cabinet will visit the Tennessee Centennial between the 15th and 20th of May.

Two years ago R. J. Warren, a druggist at Pleasant Brook, N. Y., bought a small supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sums up the result as follows: "At that time the goods were unknown in this section; to-day Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a household word." It is the same in hundreds of communities. Where ever the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy become known the people will have nothing else. For sale by J. James Wood, Druggist.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MUNICIPAL OFFICES.

For Mayor.

We are authorized to announce DUKE A. RUDY as a candidate for Mayor of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897, subject to the will of the people. Your support and influence respectfully solicited.

CITY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce J. L. DAULTON as a candidate for City Clerk at the November election, subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce M. B. STRODE as a candidate for City Clerk at the ensuing November election, subject to the will of the people.

POLICE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce J. D. ROE as a candidate for Police Judge of the city of Maysville, and he earnestly solicits the support of all the voters of the city.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE P. BEASLEY as a candidate for Police Judge of the city of Maysville at the coming November election.

We are authorized to announce JOHN L. CHAMBERLAIN as a candidate for Judge of the Police Court of the City of Maysville.

We are authorized to announce A. WADSWORTH as a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Police Court of the City of Maysville.

CHIEF OF POLICE.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. DONALDSON as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville.

We are authorized to announce W. A. STOCKDALE as a candidate for Chief of Police of the city of Maysville, to be voted for at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce M. J. DONOVAN as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce D. P. ORT as a candidate for re-election as Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

We are authorized to announce T. S. McDONALD as a candidate for Chief of Police of the City of Maysville at the November election, 1897.

ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce SIMON M. CROWELL as a candidate for City Assessor at the November election, 1897.

COUNTY OFFICES.

REPUBLICAN.

COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM D. COCHRAN as a candidate for re-election as Clerk of the Mason County Court, subject to the action of the Republican Convention.

JAILER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN JOHNSON as a candidate for re-election as Jailer of Mason County, subject to the action of the Republican Convention.

COUNTY ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce ELIZABETH PAYTON as a candidate for Assessor of Mason County, subject to the action of the Republican Convention.

We are authorized to announce R. G. BULLOCK as a candidate for Assessor of Mason County, subject to the action of the Republican Convention.

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LOST—Small brown leather Pocket-book, containing \$2.00 and some papers. Finder please return to this office. apr 18 1w

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FOUND—A lady's Wrap. Owner can have same by calling on D. F. ORT and proving property. apr 18 1w

FOUND—Large bunch of Keys. Call at Mrs. A. M. J. COCHRAN, West Third street. 14 w

Bids Wanted!

The Turnpike Commissioners will receive bids for repairs on all roads turned over to the county as free turnpikes until SATURDAY, MAY 1st, 1897, per rod for rock, per yard for ditching.

JOHN E. SMITH, Secretary.

Executors Notice!

All persons having claims against the estate of J. H. Smith, deceased, will please present same at once, properly verified; and persons owing said decedent will please come forward and settle without delay.

JOHN E. SMITH, Executor.

Maysville, Ky., April 14th, 1897. apr 15 1w

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